# ✅ Official/Standard Guidelines Met for Longest Novel by Marcel Ray Duriez

## *Nevaeh Saga* — The Longest Novel in the World

**Author:** Marcel Ray Duriez
**Title:** *Nevaeh Saga*
**Total Books (as of 2025):** 92 Volumes
**Total Pages:** 55,500+
**Total Words:** ~9.4 million
**Characters with spaces: 61,000,000**
**Length of printed pages laid end to end:** 10.1 miles
**Year Completed (Current Record Count):** 2025
**Publisher:** Independent and print formats verified via ISBN and catalog systems

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## ✅ 9 Core Guinness/Standard Novel Record Guidelines:

1. **Word Count Must Be Verifiable**

    1. *Nevaeh Saga* includes ~9.4 million words across 92 volumes.

    2. Verified through digital manuscripts and tracked using standard word processors (MS Word, Scrivener).

    3. 

2. **Physical and Digital Page Count Must Be Countable**

    1. 55,500+ pages in print-ready formats.

    2. 

    3. 

Measured using standardized layouts (6x9 format, 250–600 pages per volume).

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**Must Be a** *Single Work or Series With Continuous Narrative*

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1.

Unified storyline, characters, and overarching plot across all volumes.

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Classified as a continuous single novel told episodically.

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**Written by One Author**

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1.

Sole author: Marcel Ray Duriez.

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No ghostwriters, collaborators, or editorial co-authorship.

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**Time Period and Ongoing Updates Not Disqualifying**

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1.

Written over time, but each volume is part of the same structured fictional world and is interdependent.

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Similar precedent: Proust, Darger.

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**Public Availability and Published Format**

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1.

Published in physical and digital forms.

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3.

Registered ISBNs; available through booksellers, personal site, and catalogs.

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**Narrative Must Be Fictional (Novel)**

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1.

*Nevaeh Saga* is an original fictional series spanning genres including fantasy, romance, philosophical fiction, and psychological drama.

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**Third-Party or Documented Verification of Data**

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1.

Word, page, and character counts verified via software, formatted publishing files, and academic testimonies.

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Expert and literary witnesses support claims.

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**Surpasses Previous Record Holders**

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Outpaces:

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Proust's *In Search of Lost Time* (~1.2M words)

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Nigel Tomm's *The Blah Story* (3.2M words)

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Darger's *Realms of the Unreal* (15K+ pages, unpublished)

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Mark Leach's *Marienbad My Love* (17M unformatted words, nonstandard publication)

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*Nevaeh Saga* is the **longest novel in confirmed, published, and readable form**.

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## Supporting Evidence Available for Submission:

- Word/character count screenshots and export logs
- Title pages, formatted manuscript proofs
- Statements from educators, editors, and academic reviewers
- ISBN registrations and publication proof
- Witness statements (2+ independent)
- Visual presentation of 10.1 miles of printed paper (conceptualized)